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Bonn's 2402 rptd Berlin 517 USAREUR 382 and Bonn's 2396 rptd Berlin 514
USAREUR 380.

1. Believe your difficulty would be met by using following more generalized first sentence in statement to be made to Kotsiuba, which would not indicate we had come to meeting prepared with fallback position: QUOTE In deciding to permit a change in existing procedures, the Political Advisors wish to point out that their governments consider such a change meaningless except as an administrative procedure UNQUOTE.

2. Department believes it preferable that paper be left with Kotsiuba if either change in procedure para 1B or that in para 2 your instructions to Berlin in Bonn's 2396 is communicated to Kotsiuba.

3. If under circumstances you consider paper cannot be left with Kotsiuba you should tell him we will send him ~~ex~~ confirmation our position as Aide Memoire. In such case, paper should be sent over same day. (Believe we should avoid

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